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# WAG 9

**SITE CODE: ANL-20** 

Septic Tank and Leach Field by 793

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I. SITE NAME AND LOCA	rion					
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03 CITY Scoville	04 STATE Idaho		P CODE	06 COUNTY Bingham		
09 COORDINATES: NORTH	E	\ST	07 CC	OUNTY CO	DE 08 CONG. D	IST.
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II. OWNER/OPERATOR						
01 OWNER (If known) Department of Energy	(DOE)	02 STRE 785	ET ADD DOE Pl			
03 CITY Idaho Falls		04 STAT		ZIP COD	06 TELEPHONI (208) 520	
07 OPERATOR (If known)		08 STRE				
Argonne National Laborator	<u>y</u>		r Blvd.			
J9 CITY Scoville		10 STAT	E   11	83403	208-526-7625	
III. CHARACTERIZATION O	F POTENTIA	L HAZARD	<u> </u>			
01 ON SITE INSPECTION	YES	x NO	DATE			
02 SITE STATUS (Check of X A. Active SWMU	•	ve C.	linkno	None	EARS RECEIVED	HAZ WASTI
04 DESCRIPTION OF SUBST	ANCES POSS			<u> </u>	<u>-</u>	
05 DESCRIPTION OF POTEN See Hazardous Condition				T AND/O	R POPULATION	
IV. INFORMATION AVAILAB	LE FROM	-102				
01 CONTACT Clifford Clark	02 OF (Age DOE	ncy/Org.)			TELEPHONE NUM (208) 526-1122	and the second s
04 PERSON RESPONSIBLE FOR ASSESSMENT L. C. Witbeck	05 AG Anl	ency W		G. , Securit guards	07 TELEPHONE y 208-526-7537	NUMBER
08 DATE 10 / 05 / 86 Mon Day Year	•					

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01 _ K. DAMAGE TO FAUNA 02 _ OBSERVED (Date 04 NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION: (include name(s) of species)  Not Applicable	) POTENTIA: ALLEGED
01 _ L. CONTAMINATION OF FOOD CHAIN 02 _ OBSERVED (Date 04 NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION: Not Applicable	) POTENTIAI ALLEGED
01 M. UNSTABLE CONTAINMENT OF WASTES 02 OBSERVED (Date (SPILL RUNOFF, STANDING LIQUIDS/LEAKING DRUMS) 03 NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION:  Not Applicable	, ALLEGED
01 N. DAMAGE TO OFFSITE PROPERTY 02 OBSERVED (Date 04 NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION: Not Applicable	POTENTTAL ALL
01 O. CONTAMINATION OF SEWERS,STORM 02 OBSERVED(Date DRAINS, WWTPs 04 NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION: Not Applicable	POTENTIAI ALLEGED
01 P. ILLEGAL/UNAUTHORIZED DUMPING 02 OBSERVED (Date	_) POTENTIAI ALLEGED
05 DESCRIPTION OF ANY OTHER KNOWN, POTENTIAL OR ALLEGED HAZARDS None	
III. COMMENTS None	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
IV. SOURCES OF INFORMATION (List specific references, e.g., sta sample analysis, reports) Site inspections, personnel interview, disposal quantity record Installation Assessment Report, USGS Report IDO-22053 TID-4500 of Liquid Waste Disposal on the Geochemistry of Water at the NR	ANL-We s, The Influence

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PRIORITY RANKING SYSTEM						
I. GENERAL FACILITY INFORMATION						
FACILITY NAME: Septic Tank and Leach Field by 793						
LOCATION: Idaho National Engineering Laboratory						
POINT OF CONTACT: NAME: Argonne National Laboratory-West						
ADDRESS: Scoville, Idaho 83403						
PHONE: 526-7625						
REVIEWER: Michael J. Holzemer DATE: 10/5/86						
II. GENERAL FACILITY DESCRIPTION						
GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF THE FACILITY: (For example: landfill, surface impoundment, pile, container; types of hazardous substances; location of facility; contamination route of major concern; types of information needed for rating; agency action, etc.)  The septic tank and leach field receives wastes from the restroom associated with  793. This includes a sink, floor drains and toilet. This system was installed in 1983						
and prior to this no sanitary waste system existed for the building. There is no						
chemistry laboratory associated with this building.						
III. SCORES						
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GROUND WATER ROUTE WORKSHEET								
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1.ROUTE CHARACTERISTICS Facility Slope and Intervening Terrain	<b>①</b> 1 2 3	1	0	3			
1-yr. 24-hr. Rainfall Distance to Nearest Surface Water	0 ① 2 3 ⑥ 1 2 3	1 2	1 0	3 6			
Physical State	0 1 2 3	1	3	3			
Total Route	Characteristics Score		4	15			
2.CONTAINMENT	<b>0</b> 123	1	0	3	4.3		
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AIR ROUTE WORKSHEET							
RATING FACTOR	ASSIGNED VALUE (Circle one)	MULTI- PLIER	SCORE	MAX. SCORE	REF Secti		
1.HISTORIC RELEASE	<b>0</b> 45	1	0	45	5.1		
Date and Location:	See attached supplement	pages			-		
If line 1 is 0, the s	Sa = 0. Enter on line :	5.			***************************************		
If line 1 is 45, then	proceed to line 2.						
2.WASTE CHARACTERISTICS Reactivity and	0 1 2 3	1		3	5.2		
Incompatibility Toxicity Hazardous Waste Quantity	0 1 2 3 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8	3 1		9 8			
Total Waste	Characteristics Score	!		20	•		
3.TARGETS Population within 4-mile Radius	0 9 12 15 18 21 24 27 30	1		30	5.3		
Distance to Sensitive Environment		2		6			
Land Use	0 1 2 3	1		3			
Total Targe	et Scores			39	•		
4. Multiply lines 1 x 2 x 3 O 35100							
5. Divide line 4 by 35100 and multiply by 100 Sa = O							

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GROUNDWATER ROUTE SCORE (Sgw)	0	0
SURFACE WATER ROUTE SCORE (Ssw)	0	0
AIR ROUTE SCORE (Sa)	0	0
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### DOCUMENTATION RECORDS FOR HAZARD RANKING SYSTEM

INSTRUCTIONS: As briefly as possible, summarize the information you used to assign the score for each factor (e.g., "Waste quantity = 4,230 drums plus 800 cubic yards of sludges"). The source of information should be provided for each entry and should be a bibliographic-type reference. Include the location of the document.

FACILITY NAME:	Septic Tank and Leach Field by 793	
LOCATION: Argon	ne National Laboratory-West/Idaho National Engineering Laborator	-у
DATE SCORED:	10/5/86	
PERSON SCORING:	Michael J. Holzemer	

### PRIMARY SOURCE(S) OF INFORMATION:

- 1. Personnel interviews
- System drawing
   40 CFR 300, App. A
- 4. Sax, "Dangerous Properties of Industrial Materials", sixth edition FACTORS NOT SCORED DUE TO INSUFFICIENT INFORMATION:

### COMMENTS OR QUALIFICATIONS:

There is approximately five employees who routinely work in this facility

#### GROUNDWATER ROUTE

1. OBSERVED RELEASE - Undertake Corrective Action

Contaminants detected (3 maximum):

No observed releases

Rationale for attributing the contaminants to the facility:

Not Applicable

### 2. ROUTE CHARACTERISTICS

Depth to Aquifer of Concern

Name/description of aquifer(s) of concern: Snake River Plain Aquifer

Depth(s) from the ground surface to the highest seasonal level of the saturated zone [water table(s)] of the aquifer of concern:

640 feet

Depth from the ground surface to the lowest point of waste disposal/ storage:

9 feet

Net	. P	rec	i p	ita	tion

Mean annual or seasonal precipitation (list months for seasonal):

9.07 inches

Mean annual lake or seasonal evaporation (list months for seasonal):

36 inches

Net precipitation (subtract the above figures):

- 26.93 inches

### Permeability of Unsaturated Zone

Soil type in unsaturated zone:

An interbedded sequence of basaltic lava flows and sedimentary deposits.

Permeability associated with soil type:

 $10^{-7}$  to  $10^{-3}$  cm/sec

### Physical State

Physical state of substances at time of disposal (or at present time for generated gases):

Sludge and liquid

#### CONTAINMENT

### Containment

Method(s) of waste or leachate containment evaluated:

Prefabricated concrete septic tank and leaching field

Method of highest score:

The above containment has the highest score. Since this containment is an artifical means that is used to minimize or prevent a contaminant (raw sewage) from entering ground water, a score of zero was assigned. In addition, investigation through personnel interviews and operating procedures 4. WASTE CHARACTERISTICS show no hazardous substances sent to this system.

#### Toxicity and Persistence

Compound(s) evaluated:

Since the system is a sewage system and no hazardous substances, based on operation and personnel interviews, have been disposed into this system no compounds were evaluated except for sewage

Compound with highest score:

Sewage

#### Hazardous Waste Quantity

Total quantity of hazardous substances at the facility, excluding those with a containment score of 0 (Give a reasonable estimate even if quantity is above maximum):

None

Basis of estimating and/or computing waste quantity:

Contaminent score of zero

# Checklist for Groundwater Releases

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ι.	Potential		for Groundwater Releases from the Unit		
	o	Unit	type and design		
		-	Does the unit type (e.g., land-based) indicate the potential for release?	X	
		-	Does the unit have engineered structures (e.g., liners, leachate collection systems, proper construction materials) designed to prevent releases to groundwater?		<u>X</u> .
	0	Unit	operation		
		<b>-</b>	Does the unit's age (e.g., old unit) or operating status (e.g., inactive, active) indicate the potential for release?		<u>X</u>
		•	Does the unit have poor operating procedures that increase the potential for release?	_	<u>x</u>
		-	Does the unit have compliance problems that indicate the potential for a release to groundwater?		<u>×</u>
	o	Phys	ical condition		
		-	Does the unit's physical condition indicate the potential for release (e.g., lack of structural integrity, deteriorating liners, etc.)?		<u>×</u>
	0	Locat	tional characteristics		
		•	Is the unit located on permeable soil so the release could migrate through the unsaturated soil zone?	<u>x</u> _	
		-	Is the unit located in an arid area where the soil is less saturated and therefore a release has less potential for downward migration?	_	<u>X</u>
		-	Does the depth from the unit to the uppermost aquifer indicate the potential for release?		×

# Checklist for Groundwater Releases

				<u>Yes</u>	<u> No</u>
		<b>**</b>	Does the rate of groundwater flow greatly inhibit the migration of a release from the facility?		<u>X</u> _
		-	Is the facility located in an area that recharges surface water?		_X_
	0	Wast	e characteristics		
		•	Does the waste in the unit exhibit high or moderate characteristics of mobility (e.g., tendency not to sorb soil particles or organic matter in the unsaturated zone)?		<u>x</u>
		•	Does the waste exhibit high or moderate levels of toxicity?	***************************************	<u>X</u>
2.	<u>Evid</u>	ence (	of Groundwater Releases		
	0	Exis	ting groundwater monitoring systems		
		-	Is there an existing system?		<u>x</u>
		-	Is the system adequate?	N/A	<u>n/r</u>
		-	Are there recent analytical data that indicate a release?		<u>X</u>
	0	Other	r evidence of groundwater releases		
		-	Is there evidence of contamination around the unit (e.g., discolored soils, lack of or stressed vegetation) that indicates the potential for a release to groundwater?		<u>x</u>
		-	Does local well water or spring water sampling data indicate a release from the unit?		<u>x</u>
			he Relative Effect of the Release on Human Environment		
1.	Expo	sure i	Potential		
	0	Cond	itions that indicate potential exposure		
		•	Are there drinking water well(s) located near the unit?	<u>x</u>	
		•	Does the direction of groundwater flow in- dicate the potential for hazardous constitu- ents to migrate to drinking water wells?	_X_	

#### SURFACE WATER ROUTE

# 1. OBSERVED RELEASE - Undertake Corrective Action

Contaminants detected in surface water at the facility or downhill from it (3 maximum):

No observed release

Rationale for attributing the contaminants to the facility:

Not Applicable

### 2. ROUTE CHARACTERISTICS

Facility Slope and Intervening Terrain

Average slope of facility in percent:

Less than 3 percent

Name/description of nearest downslope surface water:

Big Lost River

Average slope of terrain between facility and above cited surface water body in percent:

Less than 3 percent

Is the facility located either totally or partially in surface water?

No

Is the facility completely surrounded by areas of high elevation?
Yes

# 1-year 24-Hour Rainfall in Inches

less than 2 inches

Distance to Nearest Downslope Surface Water

12 Miles

## Physical State of Waste

Sludge and liquid

### 3. CONTAINMENT

### Containment

Method(s) of waste or leachate containment evaluated:

None, intervening terrain precludes runoff: from entering surface water

Method with highest score:

Assigned containment score of zero per 40 CFR 300, App. A, Section 4.3, table 9

### WASTE CHARACTERISTICS

### Toxicity and Persistence

Compound(s) evaluated

Sewage

Compound with highest score:

Sewage

## Hazardous Waste Quantity

Total quantity of hazardous substances at the facility, excluding those with a containment score of 0 (Give a reasonable estimate even if quantity is above maximum):

None

Basis of estimating and/or computing waste quantity:

Containment score of zero

# Checklist for Surface Water/Surface Drainage Releases

				<u>Yes</u>	<u>No</u>
<u>I de</u>	ntify	ing Re	eleases		
1.			for Surface Water/Surface Drainage Release Facility		
	0		imity to Surface Water and/or to Off-site otors		
		-	Could surface run-off from the unit reach the nearest downgradient surface water body?	_	X
		-	Could surface run-off from the unit reach off-site receptors (e.g., if facility is located adjacent to populated areas and no barrier exists to prevent overland surface run-off migration)?		<u> </u>
	0	Relea	use Migration Potential		
		•	Does the slope of the facility and intervening terrain indicate potential for release?		<u> </u>
		-	Is the intervening terrain characterized by soils and vegetation that allow overland migration (e.g., clayey soils, and sparse vegetation)?		<u>x</u>
		-	Does data on one-year 24-hour rainfall indicate the potential for area storms to cause surface water or surface drainage contamination as a result of run-off?		<u>x</u>
	0	Unit	Design and Physical Condition		
		<b>-</b>	Are engineered features (e.g., run-off control systems) designed to prevent release from the unit?	<u>x</u>	•
		-	Does the operational history of the unit indicate that a release has taken place (e.g., old, closed or inactive unit, not inspected regularly, improperly maintained)?		*
		•	Does the physical condition of the unit indicate that releases may have occurred (e.g., cracks or stress factures in tanks or erosion of earthen dikes of surface impoundments)?		<u>X</u>

# Checklist for Surface Water/Surface Drainage Releases

			<u>Yes</u>	<u>No</u>
	0	Waste Characteristics		
		<ul> <li>Is the volume of discharge high relative to the size and flow rate of the surface water body?</li> </ul>		<u>x</u>
		Do constituents in the discharge tend to sorb to sediments (e.g., metals)?		
		<ul> <li>Do constituents in the discharge tend to be transported downstream?</li> </ul>		<u>x</u>
		<ul> <li>Do waste constituents exhibit moderate or high characteristics of persistence (e.g., PCBs, dioxins, etc.)?</li> </ul>	<del></del>	<u>x</u>
		<ul> <li>Do waste constituents exhibit moderate or high characteristics of toxicity (e.g., metals, chlorinated pesticides, etc.)?</li> </ul>	<del></del>	×
2.	Evi	dence of Surface Water/Surface Drainage Releases		
	0	Are there unpermitted discharges from the facility to surface water that require an NPDES or a Section 404 permit?		<u>x</u> _
	0	Is there visible evidence of uncontrolled run-off from units at the facility?		<u>*</u>
		ning the Relative Effect of the Release on Human and the Environment		
1.	0	Are there drinking water intakes nearby?		X
	0	Could human and/or environmental receptors come into contact with surface drainage from the facility?	<del></del>	<u>X</u>
	0	Are there irrigation water intakes nearby?		<u> </u>
	•	Could a sensitive environment (e.g., critical habitat, wetlands) be affected by the discharge (if it is nearby)?		×

1. OBSERVED RELEASE

Contaminants detected: -

No observed release, assigned  $\mathbf{S}_{\mathbf{A}}$  score of zero

Date and Location of detection of contaminants:

Not Applicable

Methods used to detect the contaminants:

Not Applicable

Rationale for attributing the contaminants to the site:

Not Applicable

2. WASTE CHARACTERISTICS

Reactivity and Incompatibility

Most reactive compound:

Not Applicable

Most incompatible pair of compounds:

Not Applicable

# <u>Toxicity</u>

Most toxic compound:

Sewage

## Hazardous Waste Quantity

Total quantity of hazardous waste:

None

Basis of estimating and/or computing waste quantity:

No hazardous waste associated with this system

# Checklist for Air Releases

				Yes	<u>No</u>
Ide	ntify	ing R	eleases		
1.	Pote	ntial	for Air Releases from the Facility		
	0	Unit	Characteristics		
		•	Is the unit operating and does is expose waste to the atmosphere?		<u>x</u>
		-	Does the size of the unit (e.g., depth and surface area) create a potential for air release?		<u>X</u>
	0		the unit contain waste that exhibits a rate or high potential for vapor phase ase?		
		-	Does the unit contain hazardous constitu- ents of concern as vapor releases?	<del></del>	<u>x</u> .
		-	Do waste constituents have a high potential for volatilization (e.g., physical form, concentrations, and constituent-specific physical and chemical parameters that contribute to volatilization)?		<u>X</u>
	0	condi	the unit contain waste and exhibit site itions that suggest a moderate or high atial for particulate release?		
		-	Does the unit contain hazardous constituents of concern as particulate releases?		<u>x</u>
	-		Do constituents of concern as particulate releases (e.g., smaller, inhalable particulates) have potential for release via wind erosion, reentrainment by moving vehicles, or operational activities?	NA	NIA
		-	Are particulate releases comprised of small particles that tend to travel off-site?	•	u/n
	0		ertain environmental and geographic factors to the concentrations of airborne contaminant	<i>N∤A</i> s?	<u>a.1.u</u>
		-	Do atmospheric/geographic conditions limit constituent dispersion (e.g., areas with atmospheric conditions that result in inversions)?	_X	
		-	Is the facility located in a hot, dry area?		X

### Checklist for Air Releases

			<u>Yes</u>	<u>No</u>
2.	Evide	ence of Air Releases		
	o	Does on-site monitoring data show that releases have occurred or are occurring (e.g., OSHA data)?		_X_
	o	Have particulate emissions been observed at the site?		<u>x</u>
	•	Have there been citizen complaints concerning odors or observed particulate emissions from the site?		_X_
		ing the Relative Effect of the Release on Human		
<u>Heal</u>	th ar	nd the Environment		
1.	Expos	sure Potential		
	0	Is a populated area located near the site?	X	

# Checklist for Subsurface Gas Releases

			<u>Yes</u>	No
<u>I de</u>	ntify	ing a Release		
1.	Pote	ntial for Subsurface Gas Releases		
	0	Does the unit contain waste that generates methane or generates volatile constituents that may be carried by methane (e.g., decomposable refuse/volatile organic wastes)?	<u>X</u>	
	0,	Is the unit an active or closed landfill or a unit closed as a landfill (e.g., surface impoundments and waste piles)?		_X_
2.		ation of Subsurface Gas to On-site or Off-site dings		
	o	Are on-site or off-site buildings close to the unit?	<u>×</u>	-
	O	Do natural or engineered barriers prevent gas migration from the unit to on-site or off-site buildings (e.g., low soil permeability and porosity hydrogeologic barriers/liners, slurry walls, gas control systems)?		<u>×</u>
	0	Do natural site characteristics or man-made structures (e.g., underground power transmission lines, sewer pipes/sand and gravel lenses) facilitate gas migration from the unit to buildings?	-	<u>×</u>
		ing the Relative Effect of the Release on Human		
1.	Expo	sure Potential		
	0	Does building usage (e.g., residential, commercial) exhibit high potential for exposure?	-	<u>x</u>

### FIRE AND EXPLOSION

### 1. CONTAINMENT.

Hazardous substances present:

No score was computed because neither a state or local fire marshal have certified that the facility presents a significant fire or explosion threat to the public or to sensitive environments.

Type of containment, if applicable:

Not Applicable

### 2. WASTE CHARACTERISTICS

### Direct Evidence

Type of instrument and measurements:

Not Applicable

### Ignitability

Compound used:

Not Applicable

### Reactivity

Most reactive compound:

Not Applicable

### Incompatibility

Most incompatible pair of compounds:

Not Applicable

### Hazardous Waste Quantity

Total quantity of hazardous substances at the facility:

None

Basis of estimating and/or computing waste quantity:
No hazardous wastes associated with this system

### 3. TARGETS

### Distance to Nearest Population

200 feet (Building 793)

### Distance to Nearest Building

200 feet (Building 793)

### Distance to Sensitive Environment

Distance to wetlands:

Greater than 100 feet

Distance to critical habitat:

Greater than 1/2 mile

### Land Use

Distance to commercial/industrial area, if 1 mile or less:

The INEL is a research facility. There are no commercial/industrial facilities within 1 mile.

Distance to national or state park, forest, or wildlife reserve, if 2 miles or less:

Greater than 2 miles

Distance to residential area, if 2 miles or less:

Greater than 2 miles

Distance to agricultural land in production within past 3 years, if 1 mile or less:

Greater than 1 mile

Distance to prima agricultural land in production within past 3 years, if 2 miles or less:

Greater than 2 miles

If a historic or landmark site (National Register or Historic Places and National Natural Landmarks) within the view of the site?

Big Southern Butte

Population Within 2-Mile Radius
688 employees at ANL-W

Buildings Within 2-Mile Radius

See attached plot plan

### DIRECT CONTACT

1. OBSERVED INCIDENT

Date, location, and pertinent details of incident:

No observed incident

2. ACCESSIBILITY

Describe type of barrier(s):

Security guards and fence barrier

3. CONTAINMENT

Type of containment, if applicable:

Not applicable (greater than 2 feet of cover)

4. WASTE CHARACTERISTICS

Toxicity

Compounds evaluated:

Sewage<sup>2</sup>

Compound with highest score:

Sewage

### 5. TARGETS

# Population within one-mile radius

688 employees at ANL-W

# Distance to critical habitat (of endangered species)

Greater than 1 mile